Parent Ambassador Role Description

2018-19 Parent Ambassadors

The Sacramento State Parent Ambassadors are a volunteer advisory group for the University. Parent Ambassadors share their unique perspective as parents and family members of current students, or students with children, with campus leadership. Ambassadors are champions of our university, and are dedicated to improving the quality of the Sacramento State experience for students and their families.

Specifically, Parent Ambassadors will:

Connect with Sacramento State parents and families.

- Interact with other Sacramento State parents and families through a variety of methods (in person, via phone, email, and social media) to establish and build relationships.
- Share information with parents and family members of Sacramento State students who may have questions or need advice about being the parent of a new college student.
    - You will be asked to provide an email address and biography that we publish on our website and in *Collegiate Parent Guide* for people to reach you.

Attend key events to talk about your experiences and welcome others.

- Attend in-person Ambassador Training each year during Fall semester.
  - Friday, Oct. 19, 2018, 12-4pm – on campus, location TBD
- Attend "priority events" as a representative of Sacramento State:
  - Friday 8/24 12p-6p - Move in Day – Parent Lounge and Reception – Residence Halls
  - Friday, Oct. 19, 2018, 5-7 pm - Family Weekend Reception – Off Campus
  - Saturday, Oct. 20, 2018 - Homecoming – Parents & Families Tailgate – Parking Lot 8
  - Friday, April 12, 2019 – STRONG: Hornets Imagine Tomorrow's Solutions – Riverview Hall Conf. Room
  - July, weekdays (days vary), Summer 2019 – Freshmen Orientation – UU Ballroom

Advise Sacramento State leaders to help our campus grow.

- Share feedback and recommendations about being a parent of a college student, or a student with a child, with P&F program director and other campus leaders. Tell us about positive and negative experiences alike, and explain what needs to be improved.
- Participate in P&F monthly "Town Hall Calls" with other parents, Sac state leaders, and the public. Share your student's successes, ask questions, and tell us what is going on month by month.
    - Call (515) 603-3105 and enter access code 951260.
    - Calls take place at 11 a.m., the last Friday of each month, August through May.

Support the University.

- Champion Sacramento State in your community! Tell positive stories about Sacramento State.
- Serve a one-year term.
- Consider supporting the Parents & Families Program, its events, and its students via a financial gift.